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A ONE STORY FRAME HOUSE and two lots, in block 6, North addition, fronting on Water street. $1200.

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A HOUSE and lot in block 1, Adamson & Prather's addition of out lots, fronting south, on West Main street. Cheap.

No. 1039.

A HOUSE and lot, in block 4, North addition, on Church street, fronting east. $900.

No. 1047.

80 ACRE FARM, in section 11, township 15, range 2 east. High rolling land, with running water. $2500.

No. 1133.

50 ACRES, about 2¼ miles southwest of Decatur, in section 18, township 16, range 2 east. $35 per acre.

No. 1027.

80 ACRES TIMBER LAND, two miles southeast of city, in section 25, township 16, range 2 east. $2500

No. 1051.

A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE in block 3, Southaddition, on South Main street. $3200.

No. 1070.

A HOUSE and lot on East William street in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s addition. $1100.

1128

160 ACRE FARM, in section 29, township 15, range 2 east. A two story frame dwelling, barn, &c. Fenced with hedge, and well improved. Price, $50 per acre.

1132

40 ACRES in Platt county, at $22.50 per acre.

1123

178 ACRES in section 7, township 11, range 4 east. Two houses, and otherwise well improved. Price, $65 per acre.

1143

7 ACRES of timber land near Niantic, for sale cheap. Enquire of WARREN & DURFEE.

1089

A TWO STORY frame dwelling and two lots, in Rolling Mill 1st addition. Price, $1150.

1090

FOR SALE—A house and lot at north end of Church street, cheap, at $350.

1140

480 ACRE FARM, about 2 miles northwest of Harristown—all fenced and in cultivation. House of 6 rooms, barn and other outbuildings. Large orchard; a walnut and maple grove; running water on the premises. Also, 14 acres of timber in Blue Mound—cheap, at $55 per acre. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

1094

A VACANT LOT, fronting Eldorado street, 60 by 162 feet, in Read & Co.'s addition. Price, $500.

1060

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1079

A HOUSE and two lots in Sangamon addition, containing two acres, at $2,000, cash.

1134

SUBURBAN PROPERTY—Brick dwelling, nine rooms; barn and other outbuildings; situated northwest of the city, for $10,000.

A HOUSE and two lots in Allen, McReynolds & Co.'s addition, near the high school, for sale cheap. Lots well improved. House is brick and frame, containing nine rooms. Apply to WARREN & DURFEE.

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One lot in block 3, Peddecord & Burrows addition, $350.

Six lots in blocks 1 and 2, Smith & Co.'s addition. Canal terms—cheap.

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I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, FEB. 2, 1874, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger leaves	1.15 p m
Freight and Accommodation	7.00 a m
Passenger from East arrives at Decatur	11.20 a m
Freight and Accommodation	3.45 p m

H. C. MOORE, Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.

C. V. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Ag't, Tuscola.

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Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Mail at	5.15 A M	Sundays excepted
Express at	5 17 P M	" "
Freight at	10 40 A M	" "
"	3 35 P M	" "

GOING SOUTH.

Mail	2 17 A M	Sundays excepted
Express	2 17 A M	" "
Freight	8 50 A M	" "
"	3 35 P M	" "
"	10 18 P M	Saturdays only

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Pullman Sleeping Cars are run between St. Louis and Cleveland, and Quincy and Toledo, without change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:

GOING WEST:

No. 1 Through Express	3 05 a. m
" 3 Fast Express	12 10 p. m
" 11 Accommodation	3 00 p. m

GOING EAST:

No. 2 Lightning Express	11 05 p. m
" 4 Atlantic "	11 50 a. m
" 12 Accommodation	8 00 p m

PEKIN DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 1 Accommodation	6 05 a. m
" 8 Mail	1 30 p. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Accommodation	9 15 p. m
" 4 Mail	11 10 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

DEPART:

No. 1 Through Express	3 10 a. m
" 3 Fast Express	12 15 p. m
" 9 Accommodation	12 01 a. m

ARRIVE:

No. 2 Lightning Express	10 50 p. m
" 4 Atlantic "	11 20 a. m
" 10 Accommodation	4 10 a. m

A. ANDERSON, Gen'l Manager.

W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE I.B.&W. ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur			2 50 p m
Ar Monticello			4 40 "
" Champaign			6 20 "
" Chicago			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
T., W. & W. R. R.			
Lv Decatur		11 50 a m	11 10 p m
" Tolono		1 12 p m	12 22 a m
Ar Danville		2 30 p m	1 20 a m
L. B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati	9 05 p m	12 10 a m	11 59 a m
" Dayton	6 40 p m	8 30 a m	3 05 p m
" Columbus	10 25 p m	2 55 a m	6 35 p m
" Zanesville	1 45 a m	6 15 a m	1 45 a m
" Wheeling	5 50 a m	10 20 a m	5 50 a m
" Washington	9 25 p m	6 13 a m	8 30 p m
" Baltimore	10 40 p m	2 15 a m	6 30 p m
" Pittsburg		11 50 a m	2 15 a m
" Harrisbug		10 40 p m	11 50 a m
" Philadelphia		2 50 a m	4 10 p m
" New York		6 50 a m	7 35 p m
" Crestline		4 10 a m	5 50 p m
" Cleveland		7 10 a m	9 35 p m
" Buffalo		1 10 p m	4 05 a m
" Boston		8 30 a m	11 20 p m
" Louisville		11 25 p m	1 00 p m

No. 6 via T., W. & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

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TERRE HAUTE, PARIS & DECATUR R. R.

ON AND AFTER FEBRUARY 15, 1874.

EASTWARD.

No. 1 leaves Decatur	11:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute	3:50 p. m
" Indianapolis	6:20 "
No. 3 leaves Decatur	8:15 "
Arrives at Terre Haute	1:00 a. m
" Indianapolis	4:22 "
No. 7 freight leaves Decatur	6:30 "

WESTWARD

No 2 leaves Indianapolis	3:40 a. m
Arrives at Decatur	11:15 a. m
No 4 leaves Indianapolis	2:00 p. m
Arrives at Decatur at	10:15 p. m
No. 8 freight leaves Terre Haute	7:00 a. m
Arrives at Decatur	5:50 p. m

Tickets can be procured at Illinois Central Ticket Office for stations on the P. & D. line, and all principal points East and South.

Passenger trains make close connections at Terre Haute with the Vandalia line.

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From West, St. Louis and Pekin	11:30	A. M.
" East	12:30	P. M.
" Mattoon	1:00	"
" North	5:20	"
" South Paris, Chicago, & East of Lafayette	5:30	A. M.

MAILS CLOSE

For East	10:45	A. M.
" Paris at	11:00	"
" West, St. Louis	10:45	"
" Pekin	1:00	P. M.
" Chicago and Mattoon	2:30	P. M.
" South	4:30	"
" North & East	7:30	"

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

THE DEAF MAN'S MISTAKE

Old Mr. Collamer, one of the members of our church, is extremely deaf. Last Sunday the clergyman, during his sermon, had occasion to introduce a quotation, and as it was quite long he brought the volume with him, and when the time came he picked up the book and began to read from it. We always sing the Old Hundred Doxology after sermon at our church, and Mr. Collamer seeing the pastor with the book thought the time had come, so while the minister was reading he opened his hymn book at the place. Just as the clergyman laid the volume down, the man sitting next to Mr. Collamer began to yawn, and Mr. Collamer thinking he was about to sing immediately broke out Old Hundred at the top of his voice. As the clergyman was just beginning "secondly," and as, of course, there was perfect silence in the church, the effect of Mr. Collamer's vociferation was very startling. But the good old man did'nt notice that anything was the matter, so he kept right on and sang the entire verse through.

When he concluded he observed that everybody else seemed to be quiet except a few who were laughing, so he leaned over and said out loud to the man who yawned, "what's the matter with this congregation, anyhow? Why don't they go home?" The man turned scarlet, and the perspiration broke out all over him, and he would have to yell to make Mr. Collamer hear. So he touched his lips with his fingers as a sign for the old man to keep quiet. But Mr. Collamer misunderstood the motion. "Goin' to sing another hymn, hey?" All right, and he began to fumble his hymn book again. Then the sexton sailed up the aisle, and explained matters out loud to Mr. Collamer, and that gentleman subsided while the minister proceeded with his discourse. The elders have written Mr. Collamer a note requesting him not to join in the sacred harmony. The effect is too appalling upon the ribald boys in the gallery.—[Max Adeler.

Kentucky has a law, passed two or three years ago, giving the widow of a murdered man the right to bring civil suit for damages against the murderer of her husband. A case of the kind has just had a remarkable conclusion. About a year ago, in one of the interior counties of the State, a man named Smoot, well off in this world's goods, and a candidate for sheriff at the time, shot and killed a man of the same county named Gudgell. Gudgell left a wife and several children, and the widow brought suit for $10,000 damages against Smoot. The case has had three trials, the first resulting against the plaintiff, the second in a hung jury, and the third has just been decided, giving Mrs. Gudgell $85 damages and costs of suit. It is bad enough to be murdered, but still worse to be valued by a jury of your peers at only $85. Without knowing much about Gudgell, we would say he went dirt cheap.

It is one of the sweetest and most consoling reflections of the opening season of buds and flowers, when the the brooks shall be released from their icy chains and there is a fair promise of the lambs skipping from rock to rock and thistle to thistle, that the nights are rapidly growing briefer and the iron rod of the oppressive gas man has been broken at the fountain to some extent.

A Danbury man who recently lost his wife was asked by a friend whether she died suddenly. "Indeed she did," he exclaimed, with much feeling; "why, only a week afore there was a man around here that wanted to insure her, but I never dreamed of anything happening. And," he added, apologetically, "I don't believe anybody would have thought it, to look at her."

V. Barber & Co. have a very choice lot of boots and shoes direct from eastern manufactories, which they are disposing of at marvelously low prices. All goods are in latest style, and made from the best material the market affords. Call and examine their stock. [a15 d1w-w1t

Race & Co. have received a large stock of neckties and bows, linen and paper collars. [mar14-dtf

Goods at the lowest prices, for cash only, at Race's. [mar14-dtf.

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [Sept1 d1m

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11.	**Suppressed,** or Painful Periods,	25
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13.	**Croup,** Cough, Difficult Breathing,	25
14.	**Salt Rheum,** Erysipelas, Eruptions,	25
15.	**Rheumatism,** Rheumatic Pains,	25
16.	**Fever and Ague,** Chill Fever, Agues,	50
17.	**Piles,** blind or bleeding,	50
18.	**Ophthalmy,** and Sore or Weak Eyes,	50
19.	**Catarrh,** acute or chronic, Influenza,	50
20.	**Whooping-Cough,** violent coughs,	50
21.	**Asthma,** oppressed Breathing,	50
22.	**Ear Discharges,** impaired hearing,	50
23.	**Scrofula,** enlarged glands, Swellings,	50
24.	**General Debility,** Physical Weakness,	50
25.	**Dropsy** and scanty Secretions,	50
26.	**Sea-Sickness,** sickness from riding,	50
27.	**Kidney-Disease,** Gravel,	50
28.	**Nervous Debility,** Seminal Weakness or involuntary discharges,	1 00
29.	**Sore Mouth,** Canker,	50
30.	**Urinary Weakness,** wetting the bed,	50
31.	**Painful Periods,** with Spasms,	50
32.	**Sufferings** at change of life,	1 00
33.	**Epilepsey,** Spasms, St. Vitus' Dance,	1 00
34.	**Diphtheria,** ulcerated sore throat,	50
35.	**Chronic Congestions** and Eruptions, Vials, 50 cents, (except 28, 32 and 33),	1 00

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May 22 ,1873-d1t

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, May term, A. D. 1874.

Notice is hereby given that suit has been commenced and is now pending in the Circuit Court of said Macon county, on the chancery side thereof, wherein George Slare, Administrator with the will annexed of Samuel K. Swingley, deceased, is complainant, and Ruth Swingley, Sarah A. Sumpter, Joseph J. Strong, Lewis E. Strong, Jessie E. Strong, Samuel S. Strong, Robert J. Aimes, and Kilburn H. Roby and Joseph J. Strong, Executors of the last will of Samuel K. Swingley, deceased, are defendants; that summons has been issued in said cause directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county, made returnable to the May term of said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county, on the

11th day of May, A. D. 1874,

When and where said defendants are required to appear and answer the bill of complaint filed herein, or the same will be taken *pro confesso* against all defendants not answering, and as to such said cause will be heard *ex parte*.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clk Macon Co., Circuit Court.
NELSON & ROBY, Sols. for Comol't.
March 30, 1874-d6d.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between John Strohm and Michael Dempsey in the marble business, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Dempsey withdrawing from the firm.

JOHN STROHM,
MICHAEL DEMPSEY.

DECATUR, ILL., March 18, 1874.

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m25—d1w—w3t. W. C. BULLARD.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE:—Over Ludden & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main street. [feb.8-'71

A. BROWER BUNN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW
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DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street. June 18, 1873—d3mos

C. C. McComas,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office in Race's Building, west side New Square, Decatur, Ill. Dec. 14, 1873-d4w1f.

B. I. Sterrett,

ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec30-daw1f

E. R ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEY at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store, with Eden & Odor. [a23-d1y

DR. R. C. DAWKINS.

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Haumer & Co's Bank. [jl1-daw1t

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PARK & LEE,

ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW. Office: Over Millikin's Bank.

EDWIN PARK, Notary Public. [dec13,'72-tf.

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law,
☞ OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store East Main Street. [Apr.1-d1f.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill. April 13, 1872-dwtf.

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Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Eleven Huff, dec'd, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 18th day of May A. D., 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

THOMAS HUFF,
JOHN HUFF,
Administrators.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, April 18.

THE article on "Cheese making in the West," which we publish in to-day's paper, is worthy the attention of everybody in this locality. Why cannot we have a cheese factory in Decatur? There is no reason why we cannot adopt this branch of industry, and thus add largely to our material interests. We hope our farmers' clubs will discuss this matter at their meetings.

AN important decision has been made by the United States Supreme Court in regard to the right of State governments to tax National Bank stock owned by persons residing without the State. The Court declared that legislatures possess such a right since National Bank stock, though in one sense personal property, is separated by the law creating it from the person of the owner for purposes of taxation.

Some of the eastern cities are stirred up over the discovery of butter forgeries. It is said there are some persons who buy tallow and suet, and, through a certain process of churning in milk, make an article that is well calculated to deceive. There are others who mix tallow, lard, and cleansed house-grease, and, coloring the whole, make an article that will pass for butter. Such an offense is rank, and smells to heaven.

THEY make it lively for saloon keepers in Champaign county who sell liquor to inebriates At the last term of the circuit court one saloon keeper was found guilty on two indictments and sentenced to pay a fine of $600 and one hundred and eighty days in the county jail; another was fined $50 and fifteen days in jail, and a third was fined $150 and seventy-five days in jail. If the same efforts were made in other parts of the State to enforce the provisions of the State law regulating the traffic, it would not be long before those engaged in the liquor traffic would exercise more caution as to whom they made drunk.

DR. HALL, of New York, in giving a basis upon which he thinks the present temperance movement should be operated, also manages to cast in a little advice to the workers in the cause. After telling them that "intelligent and consistent temperance" means "such a personal attitude toward strong drink in practice as is in keeping with good morals, with truth, with religion and reason," he further informs them that it is not "intelligent and consistent temperance" to blunder into the belief that the reform is a religion, or "to strike as vehemently and passionately at fellow-laborers who are not total abstainers, as at the common foe in front.

FRUIT PROSPECTS.

One of the principal sources whence the city of Chicago draws its supply of peaches and small fruits is the central portion of Illinois, of which Centralia is a prominent and important shipping point. Any causes that are liable to diminish the productions of this territory would be seriously felt in this city and probably in St. Louis.—The Centralia *Sentinel* has taken some pains to ascertain the prospects of the fruit crop for the coming season, which may be summed up as follows, Peach trees are in good condition and promise a better crop, compared with the whole number bearing, than usual, and it is probable the net results of the crop will be satisfactory. The few pear trees which have escaped the blight promise well. Apples, cherries, grapes, currants, raspberries and blackberries promise an abundant supply. The acreage of strawberries is largely increased, and, as the autumn was favorable to the growth of new vines, the indications for a good crop were never better. Centralia alone will probably ship 7,000 cases. The season has been unfavorable for insects that hybernate in the soil, like curculio, codling moth, and others, which is another indication of a good and perfect crop of fruit.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

REV J. H. BLUFORD went to Florence, Ky, about a year ago, announced himself a Baptist minister, was very successful in revival enterprises, became Principal of the Academy, was greatly admired, and several young ladies "smiled sweetly on him." But one day the scholars waited, and waited, and waited at the Academy for the Principal, who failed to put in an appearance, when it was discovered that the admired Bluford had stolen off in the night, leaving sundry unsettled accounts, and that his name was not Bluford, but E. H. Scott. Now, the question is, where is Scott, and under what assumed name is he floating?

A NEW enterprise in the shape of a tack factory has been started at Rockford, which will be able to turn out several thousand tacks per day.

YARD CLEANING.

BY MERCUTIO.

Among the forcordained inevitables that takes place about this season of the year is that of cleaning the yard I might select a more dignified name for this particular part of the household duty allotted to every married man, but my feelings will not permit me to dignify the subject.—Thousands of husbands will join with me and say it does not deserve it. It has been marvelous to me what well-defined ideas our wives have upon the subject of yard cleaning. How emphatic and unconquerable they are, too They are never satisfied that a hired man can do that work just as well. No, never. They insist that the husband shall ex-officio do all that raking and scraping and trimming and pruning. They induce them—young husbands at least—that the work can be done at odd spells, while waiting for breakfast, or dinner, as the case may be. I have often fancied to myself, during yard cleaning periods, that meals were fearfully and wonderfully procrastinated. The work is usually, I might say always, commenced as the last faint traces of the last snow are dimly seen in the shady nooks of the fence corners. How is it done? I speak *ex cathedra* and know whereof I affirm It requires the resolution sufficient to remove mountains, to begin with, and precision and presence of mind, and courage and a bull-dog determination. Having these, and having procrastinated until excuses are grown threadbare, you roll up your sleeves, and hunt up last year's rake, shovel, hoe and so forth. Unexpectedly and to your great mortification, these articles are found side by side. Where the woman—thoughtful soul—has carefully placed them weeks before with premeditated malice aforethought. Then without a pretext for an adjournment, and with an ominous brow, you proceed to make havoc among the defunct leaves and hollyhock, and the whole list of last year's ornamental vegetation. You become astonished at the outset, for the very earth seems to be delivering up its dead in ghastly profusion. I have tugged away for hours until these mole-hills of wealth become majestically common, and wondered if the autumnal winds had not discriminated against me to the relief of my neighbors. After awhile the perspiration begins to run down in great drops from the ruffled brow, and you contemplate like Hamlet the question of to be or not to be, and still the unreclaimed, unraked territory spreads out in one vast expanse, eclipsing in supposed magnitude, corner lots in a new town. In the course of time, however, the work is accomplished, and you report to headquarters. The wife comes out with queenly tread and proceeds to review and inspect the work. Feelings of persecution crowd your mind in rapid succession. Half uttered sulphurious expressions pervade the "uncolumned air" in your immediate vicinity as you are informed that the work must be done over again This is the tide in your career when open and defiant revolution seems inevitable, but when passed carries you on meek and humble, with a determination to eradicate every foreign substance in that yard, and that, too, though the heavens fall The plant hinges of the knee are bent again and again, and the spinal column seems almost rent in twain, ere the work is done, but when done, as done it must be, with feelings of gratitude and heroism you slip off down town, feeling that you are a better man, and that you ought to lengthen your suspenders two inches in consequence of the victory.

CHEESE-MAKING IN THE WEST.

The Monroe (Wis) Sentinel gives some interesting statistics in regard to the cheese manufacture of Green county, in that State. There are ten factories in the county, and their products for 1873 (including some large private dairies) are summed as follows

Total Limburg Cheese.....	531,000 lbs.
Total Swiss Cheese.....	152,000 lbs.
Total Yankee Cheese.....	150,000 lbs.
Total	1,930,000 lbs.

It is estimated that the milk of 4,260 cows is consumed in this product of the Green county cheese factories, and the Sentinel says "Several new factories are being built, and those that have been already in operation, have increased their capacity and number of cows fully twenty-five per cent for this year's business."

Upon this the Chicago Inter-Ocean remarks "While the whole country is deeply exercised over the question of the transportation of western products to the seaboard, the Green county farmers are partly solving the problem by converting their crude, heavy produce into more valuable and less bulky substances. A great victory over transportation is achieved by the farmer who converts fifty-six pounds of corn into three pounds of cheese. The farmer who milks his cows several years and converts the lacteal fluid into cheese, gets more money for them than the farmer who takes his three year old cattle to market for beef, and, into the bargain not only still has his cows, but possesses a small herd of younger cattle for the future. This is what the Green county, Wisconsin, farmers are doing to circumvent the transportation companies"

THE holders of bonds of the State of Virginia met at London on Thursday and adopted resolutions complimenting Governor Kemper on his recent financial message to the Legislature, regretting the increasing number of defaults committed by the States of the American Union as calculated to defraud bondholders and impair the credit of the Federal as well as the State Governments, and declaring that they will hereafter discountenance any attempts to raise money in the European markets on the part of defaulting States.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M,

(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

The Arkansas 'Imbriggle.'

DELICATE CONDITION OF AFFAIRS.

END OF THE MASSACHUSETTS DEAD LOCK.

Election of Gov. Washburne as Sumner's Successor.

Which is Bad News for the Essex Statesman.

What the President said to the New York Nabobs.

WASHINGTON, April 17 —The committee appointed to present to the president the petition signed by about 2,500 bankers, capitalists and merchants of New York, asking him to veto the senate finance bill, or any other bill tending to inflate the currency, discharged their mission to-day. Besides the committee there were present Senators Carpenter, Logan and Ferry, of Michigan. Cyrus W. Field presented the petition. A A. Low, in his address said that they wanted a veto to avert what they regard as a most disastrous blow to the interests of the country. He was followed by S. S Cuttenden The President, in his reply, said he had watched the progress of the bill through Congress with more interest than he had any other measure before that body since he had been president He had at all times been free in the expression of his view, and was always opposed to expansion without redemption, and in favor of free banking accompanied by such legislation as would carry out the pledges of the Republican party in the direction of the resumption of specie payments; but he had to look at this matter a little different from the views of this committee. They show very well what they want, and may imagine as he might, were he a citizen of New York, that the whole country wants what they do

NEW YORK, April 17 —A Havana letter says: "Frederick Dockery, the ex-United States Attorney at Key West Fla, about the clumsiest individual to have been sent on any mission requiring a great deal of tact, has come to grief on account of his stupidity, supposing that he had a right to go about as he pleased. It is said that he came here on a mission from General Quesada, trying to arrange things with Cespedes, in the interior, and fix things so that Quesada should land with an expedition. On the 6th instant, all tattered and torn, Dockery presented himself at the office of the United State Consular Agent at Nuevetas, telling him that he had just come from the insurrection, and was desirous of surrendering to the Spanish authorities, undoubtedly thinking that he would at once receive a passport to go back to Key West. The Consul went with him to the military governor of the place, and he referred the subject to Gen. Portillo, who ordered that Dockery and the Consul be placed in solitary confinement Concha ordered the relief of the consul, but approved of a court martial to try Dockery as a spy. On the Thursday following, the court martial sentenced him to death, and the matter was submitted to Gen. Concha, who, it is rumored, intends to spare his life as a matter of court sy toward the United States"

LITTLE ROCK, ARK, April 17 —During the warlike movements of last night, Colonel Rose, the commandant of the United States Arsenal, brought a company down, stationing them at the corner of Main and Fourth streets, and sent word to each side that, while he had no orders to interfere in behalf of either party, he was directed to prevent bloodshed. The company returned to the Arsenal at daylight this morning, there appearing to be no immediate danger

Governor Baxter has contracted his lines to the vicinity of the Anthony House, and is now proceeding, as before, to exercise the duties of Governor, making the Anthony House the Capitol for the time being.

This morning both the private secretaries of Brooks and Baxter applied at the post office for mail matter addressed to the Governor of Arkansas. The Postmaster declined to deliver to either party, and telegraphed to Washington for instructions.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Postmaster-General Creswell instructed the Postmaster at Little Rock, to-day, that all letters addressed to Governor Baxter, or to Baxter, as Governor of Arkansas, should be delivered to Baxter; letters addressed to Gov. Brooks, or to Brooks, Governor of Arkansas, are to be delivered to Brooks. All communications addressed to the Governor of Arkansas will be retained till further orders

BOSTON, April 17 —The thirty-first ballot was taken this morning for a United Senator, with the following result: Whole number of votes cast, 265; necessary to a choice, 133; Dawes, 92; Hoar, 93 Curtis, 67 Banks, 7 Adams, 4; Washburn, 5 Whittier, 1

BOSTON, April 17 —After the 32d ballot for Senator to-day, resulting—Dawes 72, Hoar 75, Curtis 69, Adams 19, Washburn 10, Banks 12, scattering 8, recess was taken, during which the Dawes men ballotted for candidates other than Dawes; result—Dr. Loring received 36, Washburn 14, the rest scattering. The Dawes men then made several propositions to the Hoar men; one for a union on Loring, and one for one more ballot to-day and then adjourn till to morrow.

All the propositions were rejected, and on the reassembling of the convention a motion to proceed at once to ballot was carried. After the roll was first called, then began an immediate change of votes, lasting nearly half an hour.—The result was announced: Whole number votes cast, 267; necessary to a choice, 131; Wm. B. Washburn, 151, Curtis 64, Dawes 26, Adams 15, Loring 4, Banks 4, scattering three. The President declares the election of Mr. Washburn and, prorogued the convention.

LITTLE ROCK, April 17 —Judge Whylock and Baxter's attorneys, being notified to appear in the circuit court room, declined on the ground that it would be unsafe to pass through Brooks' guard Judge Whylock moved to the criminal court and then, overruled the motion to set aside the judgement, establishing Baxter's election, and sustained the motion to correct the records of Monday, to read that a demurrer was submitted without Baxter's knowledge

This morning T B. Dockery was appointed military Governor of the city. He immediately issued an order calling on all citizens capable of bearing arms to report for duty, and a large number complied. An address, largely signed by business men, was issued to-day sustaining Baxter It sets forth that the legality of Baxter's possession has already been established in court, and urges all citizens to support his cause. Baxter still occupies the Anthony House, and Brooks the State House which he is fortifying.

Baxter's troops arrested one of Brooks' Lieutenants this morning.

The U. S. troops occupied the court room last night, in order to preserve the peace

Baxter's forces have taken possession of the gun stores with all the arms and ammunition

WASHINGTON, April 17 —A dispatch just received here from Boston states that Dawes' name will be withdrawn this afternoon. Dawes says that his managers have absolute authority, and he will be content with their acts

ST LOUIS, April 17 —A huge tank, situated in the new Lindell Hotel, containing some 18,000 gallons of water, burst between 2 and 3 o'clock this morning, and its contents spread over and ran through a large portion of the building, doing great damage to the newly laid plastering, stucco and other decorative work on the walls.

A PECULIAR bill, which is nothing more or less than a direct concession to wealth as a ransom to crime, has recently passed the California Legislature It relates to the legal disabilities, mildly stated of one Meiggs, who is now known as the "Railway King" of Peru, and indeed, it may be said of South America. This man, who has filled Chili so full of railroad lines that he has been compelled to call her resources "too limited" for his industry, and has nearly made a bankrupt of Peru, by the railroad schemes he has consummated there, left San Francisco in 1854 clandestinely, having committed a series of forgeries with such success as to prevent their development until he was safely in the South American States, with his ill-gotten wealth Having finished his railway enterprises in South America, and longing to shine in the splendor of wealth at San Francisco again, he has managed, through agents and, it is believed, with the aid of his money, to secure the passage of a bill, which gives him the assurance that, when he sails back into the harbors of California, the golden State will fall upon his neck and kiss her prodigal son, and no doubt get up a huge feast Suppose he had been poor?—*Chicago Journal.*

A KENTUCKY paper reports what it demonstrates a living wonder. It says Dora Chambers, born on Skeggs creek, Warren county, Ky., on the 11th of August, 1871, is thirty-seven inches high, ten inches around the wrist, eighteen inches around the calf of the leg, twenty-eight and three-fourths inches around the thigh, forty-eight inches the hips, forty two inches around the waist, and weighs 118 pounds and a half The parents of this child are said to be delicate, and small persons, the father weighing 127 pounds and the mother 144 There was nothing extraordinary about the child at its birth, but when about three months old she began to grow fat, and at the age of two and one-half years had gained the above proportions

THE Democrats of Quincy held their primary elections yesterday for nominating city and town officers for the ensuing year. Rerick, the present incumbent, was renominated for Mayor. Timothy Rogers, one of the most wealthy and influential citizens, is the Republican nominee for the same office. A card published in the *Whig* announces that if elected, he will donate the salary to which he is legally entitled to the city

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The HANNIBAL & ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD has long been designated by the traveling public as the "OLD RELIABLE," from the fact that its TRAINS ARE ALWAYS ON TIME; and "SHORT LINE," because it is acknowledged to be the SHORTEST POSSIBEE ROUTE between Eastern cities and all principal cities and towns in the West.

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One of these magnificent cars is to be attached to each Day Express Train, and will be attended by polite and attentive conductors.

The track is in the best possible condition, a large portion of it having recently been re-laid with STEEL RAILS. Iron and stone bridges have taken the place of wood, and all other improvements conducive to the safety and comfort of its patrons have been adopted.

Passengers going East or West, and wishing to secure SAFETY, COMFORT AND SPEED, should be particular to ask for, and see that their tickets read via the "Old Reliable" "HANNIBAL & ST. JO. SHORT LINE," which can be obtained at all principal offices of connecting lines.

Apr 16-w30d

A bad little boy in Marcia rubbed cayenne pepper dust all over the back of his jacket, and then did shamefully in school. The school ma'am thrashed him briskly, and dismissed school immediately to run to the nearest drug store for eye-salve.

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, April 18, 1874

WHEAT—Red, per bushel	$1 10
" White	1 30
FLOUR—White wheat, ₰ hundred	4 00
" Red " "	3 75
" superfine, middlings, " "	2 00
CORN MEAL—₰ bushel	50
RYE—₰ bushel	80
CORN—₰ bushel,	50
" shelled, per bushel	60
HAY—Timothy, ₰ ton,	12 00
OATS—₰ bushel	40
FLAXSEED—₰ bushel	1 35
TIMOTHY SEED—₰ bushel	1 25
CLOVER SEED—	6 50
BLUE GRASS—	1 50
ORCHARD GRASS,	2 00
REDTOP—	2 50
HUNGARIAN "	1 50
BEANS—₰ bushel	2 75
BUTTER—₰ lb	28@30
EGGS—₰ doz,	7@8
LARD—₰ lb	7@9
BACON—sides,	8@9
HAMS—sugar-cured,	12
SHOULDERS—per lb	7
HOGS—Live, per hundred	4 75@5 00
CATTLE— " "	3 25@5 00
SHEEP— " per hun., unshorn	3 50@4 00
" " shorn	1 50
POTATOES—per bu	12½
PEACHES—Dried, per lb	10
APPLES— " "	5@5 50
" Green ₰ bar	25@27
WOOL—Unwashed, light & medium	20@22
" heavy fine	25@30
" combing	40
" Fleece washed, choice	30@35
" fine & heavy	45
" Tub washed, choice	40@42
" inferior	4@5
HIDES—Green, ₰ lb	8@8½
" Salted cured, "	8@9
" Calf, "	10
" Dry salt, "	12
" Dry Flint "	10@00
SHEEP PELTS—	
Cut, grubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price,	
" brander, 10 per ct. off,	
FEATHERS—Prime, ₰ lb	50@55
" Common, "	25@40
TALLOW—Cake, "	5
" Barrel "	5½

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J. T. CHAPMAN, Propr.

April17, 1871-eod-d1w

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrator of the Estate of William B. Wheeler, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend at the County Court of said county in the City of Decatur, on Monday, the 15th day of June, A. D. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons holding claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

A. W. CONKLIN,
April 17, 1874-d6t. Administrator.

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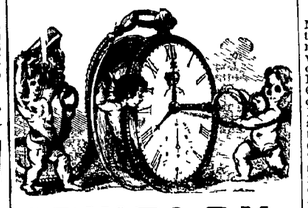
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April 23—d&wtf.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court, to the May Term, 1874.

MARY A. STOVER, }
vs. } *In Chancery.*
AMOS STOVER. }

Affidavit of the non-residence of Amos Stover the above named defendant having been filed in the Clerk's office of the Circuit Court, notice is, therefore, hereby given to the said Amos Stover that the complainant filed her bill of complaint in said Court on the Chancery side thereof, on the 27th day of February, 1874, and that thereupon a summons issued out of said Court, returnable on the second Monday in the month of May next, as is by law required. Now, unless you, the said Amos Stover, shall personally be and appear before the Court, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden in and for the said county, on the second Monday in May next and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, Illinois, Feb. 27, 1871.

J. C. McBRIDE, Comptl's Sol.

Feb 27-d1w.

SMITH & CLOKEY, Attorneys.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
County of Macon.

Circuit Court of Macon County, May term A. D. 1874

THOMAS HAYS, DR. }
vs. } *In Chancery.*
MICHAEL RAGEN. }

Affidavit that the residence of Michael Ragen, defendant above named, cannot, upon diligent enquiry, be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Michael Ragen, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the Second Monday of May next, (1874), as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Michael Ragen, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the

2d Monday of May, A. D. 1874,

And plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

SMITH & CLOKEY, Compl'ts Sol's

Decatur, March 13, 1874-d1w

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS, Gideon M. Combs and Eliza J. Combs, his wife, of the county of Shelby and state of Illinois, did on the first day of November, A. D. 1871, by their deed of Trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustees, certain real estate in said deed described; situated in the county of Shelby, in said state;

Which said Deed of Trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of said Shelby county, in book 8 of mortgages, page 356, and was made to secure the payment of one promissory note, bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, for the sum of One Thousand Dollars, executed by the said Gideon M. Combs, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold, 2 years after the date thereof, with interest thereon at the rate of ten per cent per annum from date until paid; the first payment of interest to be made on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1872, for the period ending on that day, and thereafter the interest to be paid semi-annually on the first days of November and May in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of maturity of said note, according to interest coupons annexed to said note;

And whereas, By the terms of said Deed of Trust, it is provided that if the said Gideon M. Combs, his executors or administrators, shall fail to pay or cause to be paid to the said Asahel P. Griswold, or the legal holder or holders of said note, any of the principal sum payable thereby, or any installment of interest thereon, as the said principal and interest and each and every of them shall become due and payable by the tenor and effect of said note and interest coupons respectively, then, and in such case, the said promissory note, with the interest accrued thereon, shall, thereupon, each and every of them, in respect to and for the purposes of the trust thereby created, become and be and of them presently due and payable, without the necessity of any demand of payment, and on application of the legal holder of said promissory note the undersigned trustees may thereupon at once proceed to sell the property therein described, entire without sub-division or separate parcels, at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, first giving public notice of the time and place and terms of said sale, and of the property to be sold, by an advertisement thereof in some public newspaper published in the city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and to make, acknowledge and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers of said premises deed or deeds of conveyance therefor in fee simple;

And whereas, Default having been made in the payment of interest upon said promissory note, due and payable on the 1st day of May and November A. D. 1873, whereby by the terms of the said Deed of trust, the said promissory note, with the interest accrued thereon, become, and was for the purpose of the trust created, presently due and payable; and the legal holders of said note having made application to the undersigned Trustees, and requested the advertisement and sale of said premises, under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in said Deed of Trust, public notice is therefore hereby given, that on

Tuesday, the 28th day of April, A. D. 1874,

At ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the court house in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and state of Illinois—being the west door of the present court house—we, the undersigned Trustees, shall, under and by virtue of the power in said deed of trust, offer for sale at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Shelby and state of Illinois, to wit:

The west half of the southwest quarter of section No fourteen (14), in township No. nine (9), north range No two (2) east of the third principal meridian—containing eighty acres, according to Government survey—and all homestead rights and all right, title, benefit and equity of redemption of the said Gideon M. Combs and Eliza J. Combs therein, to pay said note and interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, as by the said Deed of Trust is provided.

Decatur, Ill., March 24 1874.

JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWS,
Trustees.

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In Circuit Court to May term, A. D. 1874

Moses Bacon and Robert Perry, partners in the name of Bacon & Co., vs George Bruce, William E. Bruce, Kate R. Bruce, Harlan P. Christie, Susan L. Christie, and John Nesbitt.

IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit of the non-residence of John Nesbitt, the defendant above named, and that William E. Bruce, the defendant above named, on due inquiry cannot be found within this State so that service of process can be had upon him, the said William E. Bruce, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given the said John Nesbitt and William E. Bruce, defendants above named, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court, returnable on the first Monday in December, A. D. 1871, as is by law required. Now unless you, the said John Nesbitt and William E. Bruce, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon county on the first day of a term thereof to be holden at Decatur, in said county, on the

2d Monday of May, A. D. 1874

And plead, answer or demur to said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein contained and charged, will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. C. JOHNS, Com. Sol. (mar28-d1w

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the May term, A. D. 1874.

Drusilla Clark, Executrix of Samuel Clark, deceased, vs. Moses C. Hicks.—*Attachment.*

Public notice is hereby given to the above named Moses C. Hicks that a Writ of Attachment dated March 4, 1874, returnable to the next term of the Circuit Court aforesaid, issued out of the office of the clerk of said court at the suit of the above named Drusilla Clark, Executrix of Samuel Clark, Dec'd, and against the estate of the said Moses C. Hicks, directed to the Sheriff of said county, for the sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, and that the same has been returned executed, and said cause is now pending before the Circuit Court of said Macon county.

Now unless you, the said Moses C. Hicks, shall appear before said court, give bail and plead in said cause by a certain day hereinafter to be fixed by the Judge of said court, in the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house in the city of Decatur and county aforesaid, commencing on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1874, judgment will be rendered against you and in favor of the said Drusilla Clark, Executrix of Samuel Clark, deceased, for the said sum of Seven Thousand Five Hundred Dollars and the costs of this cause, and so much of the property attached by virtue of the said Writ of Attachment as may be necessary will be sold to satisfy said judgment.

Date 4 March 31st, 1874.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ROBINSON, KNAPP & SHUTT,
mch31-d1w] Plaintiff's Attorneys

NEW COAL YARD!

DINNEEN & CO.

HAVE OPENED a Coal Yard at Haworth's warerooms, near the depot. Staunton Coal always on hand, and will be delivered to any part of the city, at the lowest price

March 27, 1871-d1m

Come and See Me!

IF YOU WANT THE

Best Bread in Town,
Fresh Pies and Cakes,
Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,
Oysters in Every Style,

or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.

South Main Street

two doors north of Imboden's Meat Market

B. F. STEPHENS.

January 6 1873-dtf

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Plaintiff's Attorneys.

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Main Street

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F. STEPHENS.
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DRY GOODS.

New Spring Goods

—AT—

Hays & Bruce's

Dress Goods at unusually low prices, and an elegant variety.

Embroideries at HALF PRICE.

3,000 to 4,000 pieces Ribbons in order, at 20 to 25 cts., worth 35 to 75 cts.

A full assortment of Ladies' Underwear, at less price than material and making will cost.

All-Linen Handkerchiefs at 5 cts. and upwards.

The best assortment of Corsets ever shown in the city.

Table Linens, Towels and Napkins lower than ever.

☞ COME AND SEE THEM.

April 2, 1874-dtewtf.

DRY GOODS.

S. EINSTEIN,

No. 21 North Water-St.,

Is daily receiving his New Stock of Spring and Summer Goods, consisting of a full line of DRESS GOODS, CASSIMERES, CLOTH of every description, DOMESTICS, &c.

A Complete Assortment of NOTIONS and GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

☞ GIVE HIM A CALL.

Decatur, March 21, 1874-dtf

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES,

PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS.

OLD STAND OF DANIEL GAHMAN,

Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order, PONY PHAETONS, PRINCE ALBERTS, PIANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of

Sleighs Made to Order!

☞ FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY. ☜

November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

Rufus C. Crocker

NO. 9 WATER ST.,

Has on sale the Celebrated

SATISFACTION!

COOK STOVE,

—THE—

Best in the World.



And other styles Heating Stoves

ALSO, A FULL LINE OF

HARDWARE

OF ALL KINDS,

As Cheap as the Cheapest

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"Special Master's Sale."

Thomas A. Nelson vs. Aaron Ruth, Mary Ruth, Walter Allin, Thomas H. Allin, Adam B. Hostetler and Reuben H. Meriweather, and Mary Ruth, Administratrix of the estate of Aaron Ruth, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause at the December term, A. D. 1873, of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on

Monday, April 20, A. D. 1874,

Between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the court house in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

Commencing at the northwest corner of the west half of the southeast quarter of section number fifteen (15), in township number sixteen (16), north, and range number two (2), east of the third principal meridian; running thence south thirty (30) rods, thence east five (5) rods and ten links, thence north thirty (30) rods, thence west five (5) rods and ten links to the place of beginning—excepting "One-fourth of an acre off of the south end of the foregoing described tract of land; and the following described lot, heretofore deeded to Henderson Matheny, to-wit:—Commencing twenty-two and one-half rods south of the northwest corner of said west half of the southeast quarter, section 15; running thence east five rods and ten links, thence north ninety-three and one-fourth feet, thence west five rods and ten links, thence south ninety-three and one-fourth feet, to the place of beginning.

E. McCLELLAN,
"Special Master."

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LEGAL NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } s. s.
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1874.

NATHANIEL M WHITAKER, } Distress for
vs. } Rent.
PETER HEFT. }

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE said defendant in the above entitled cause, that a Distress Warrant in favor of the said plaintiff and against the said defendant has been levied upon the personal property of said defendant to make the sum of five hundred dollars, that a copy of said Distress Warrant, together with an inventory of the property levied upon, was filed with the Clerk of said Court on the the sixth day of November, A. D. 1873, that summons was thereupon issued against said defendant in said cause, returnable to the December term, A. D. 1873, of said court, which summons has been returned "not found." That said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court, and affidavit by said plaintiff has been made that said defendant on due inquiry cannot be found. Now, unless you, the said defendant shall appear, give bail, and plead in said cause on or before the first day of the next term of said court to be holden in the court house at Decatur, in said County of Macon on

Monday, the 11th Day of May, A. D. 1874,

judgment will be entered against said defendant, and the property so distrained will be sold

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

NELSON & ROBY, Att'ys for plaintiff.
April 10-d3w.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, April 18.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

Official City and County Paper.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

...Winter wheat looks fine.

...Early potatoes are being planted.

...Garden spading has been resumed.

....Smoked salmon and halibut at Imboden's.

...The country people have not forgotten that this is Saturday.

...The rural districts are alive with work, and frog concerts.

...Choice baled Hay and New York Potatoes, at Kinney & Jack's. 163d*

...Livery business is looking up as the roads are getting to be passable.

...A large number of strangers are registered at the hotels.

...The farmers need help. Young man, take your hands out of your pockets, abandon the street, and hie thee gaily to the rural districts.

...Mrs. Oates is likened to "a champagne cocktail," by the Philadelphia *Press*. "A perfect encyclopedia of fascination," says the Savannah *News*.

...Mr. C. E. Connard, at Wheatland, is now busy shelling and shipping his immense pile of corn. 40,000 bushels of this lot will go to Baltimore, via Pana.

...See the fine paper and envelopes at the Post Office Book Store. 4d

...The westward bound train on the T., W. & W. R. R. was heavily freighted with passengers yesterday.

...The floor timbers of the second story of the new post office building are in, and the building, as well as the one adjoining, will soon be ready for the roof.

...Neidermyer can furnish you the best quality of corn meal and family flour.

...There is considerable sickness in the city at the present time, mostly lung and typhoid fevers.

...It is rather cool in a San Francisco paper to advise a young man to "go west."

...How can you possibly be comfortable and wise and light-hearted, if you don't read the REPUBLICAN regularly.

...Now is the time to build fences, repair sidewalks, trim trees and paint houses. Do not delay such work too long.

...Whooping cough prevails among children to quite an extent, and some people of larger growth are "whooping it up."

....J. Ullrich & Co. have the largest stock of groceries and provisions to be found in central Illinois.

...Brevity is the soul of wit, and the best and most esteemed correspondents of county newspapers are those who are aware of this fact.

...The Washington *Chronicle* says of Mrs. Oates: "The most satisfactory performance ever seen in this city." "A combination of steel springs," says the Richmond *Enquirer*.

...At a dog fight on Water street this morning there were lots of fellows on hand to "call time."

...We are glad to learn that Gus. Ansbach's wife, who has been lying dangerously ill for some days, is slightly better to-day.

..."Circuit Rider," and other new books at Coffeen's Post Office Book Store. 4d

...Hod carriers are obliged to step lively in response to the the calls, "mortar," "more brick," as they ring out from the knights of the trowel.

...Buy your candies at the post office store.

...The sidewalks of the city are pretty well thronged to-day with country people. Though the outpouring is not as great as is sometimes the case, it is sufficient to remind the city folks that Saturday has come round again.

...Chicago has much to boast of in the way of hotels, and the new Tremont House, which was opened only a few weeks since, is at the head of the list. It is located on the old site, and is even a much finer edifice than was the old one.

...The recent purchases of Samuels & Co. at Chicago are just are arriving. Call and see. They include everything nice in the grocery line. [apr18-dtf

...A man in Clinton has stopped his paper because his name was printed in a list of advertised letters, and his wife, happening to see it first, went and got it for him and found it was from a young lady who claimed that he did not meet her at Maroa as he had promised.

...Don't go limping about with boots that keep your feet in perfect misery when by calling upon J. P. Marsh you can have a pair made that will fit like a glove. He warrants perfect fits every time.

...The Good Templars' Lodge is about to change its quarters on account of the room where it now meets being too small. They are negotiating for the second floor over the Central Surgical Institute where, if arrangements are completed, the lodge will have a pleasant and commodious place for its meetings.

...It is a rule of etiquette in Arkansas that no true gentleman will eat with his leg thrown over the back of his neighbor's chair, if he can help himself. That code of morals could never obtain in Decatur.

...The Louisville *Courier-Journal* is responsible for the following on modern charity:

"If Lazarus had lived to day—set down in some man's door,
An' that man's dog had come along an' licked old Laz's sore,
I'm satisfied, with all the christian feeling that he has,
He'd 'station house' poor Laz, an' lick the dog for lickin' Laz."

...Everybody knows where Clint. Armstrong keeps his drug store, and this notice is simply to remind the public that he has just received one of the finest lots of fancy and toilet goods ever brought to Decatur; combs and brushes of endless variety, and perfumeries and hair dressings of the most approved manufacture. Also, a full stock of pure drugs always on hand—all of which he sells at bottom prices.

...Young men should remember that appearances are often deceiving. Many a pale, thin young lady will eat more corned beef than a carpenter. Because you find her playing the piano in the parlor, it is no sign that her mother is not at the corner grocery running in debt for a peck of potatoes.

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Miss Jennie Thearle, of Chicago, daughter of Rev. Fred. G. Thearle, is in the city, visiting her friends here. She is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Elwood.

The following prominent gentlemen are registered at the up-town hotels: Wm. T. Harvie, Buffalo, N. Y.; John McHenry and L. H. Converse, Springfield; A. T. Smith, and G. Vincent, Chicago; J. H. Richardson, New York; Chas. D. Calsoa, St. Louis, J. T. Lee, Sullivan; Chas. T. Munger, Louisville, Ky.; are stopping at the St. Nicholas.

At the Priest House are W. A. McKelvey and T. T. Babcock, Monticello; Dr. H. Evans, Clark county, Pa.; J. A. Richardson, Pekin; H. E. Bayle, Alton; Wm. Delaney, Springfield; Levi J. West and L. C. Styler, New York; C. L. Watson, W. T. May and G. N. Johnson, Chicago.

A Model Grist Mill.—The town of Staunton, in Macoupin county, has the neatest and most complete grist mill on line of the Decatur and East St. Louis Railroad. It consists of three brick buildings of fine architecture, and constructed regardless of cost. The largest building contains the machinery, which is of the best description. The engine is a model of neatness, and is of immense power.—Everything in the mill is kept scrupulously clean, and 400 barrels of flour are made each twenty-four hours. The adjoining building is used for storage and cleaning grain, and will hold 60,000 to 70,000 bushels of wheat. With this is connected an office and private business room, which are fitted up with great elegance—brussels carpets and oil paintings making them seem more like the home of some gentleman of leisure than the office where is conducted the business of so large an establishment. The citizens of Staunton are very proud of their fine mill, and, we think, have reason to be. As might be expected, the brands of flour of this mill bring the very highest price in the eastern markets.

We hope to see the number of such mills increased all over our state. The export demand for the flour of the United States is largely on the increase, and will probably continue to be so for a long time to come. The west must rise to greatness, if at all, not only by the production, but also the manufacture of its products. Under a right state of affairs all of our wheat export should be sent abroad as flour. We are rejoiced to know that statistics as well as the enterprise of the west point to this as one of the conquests of the future.

The Crusade in Bloomington.—A letter from a prominent lawyer in Bloomington shows the way they are doing the temperance movement there. He says: "Our people are getting fearfully worked up on the temperance question.—Election next Monday; mass meeting last night—speeches from Mrs. Whitmer, Mrs. Townsend, Wm. M. Hatch and Jas. S. Ewing. Another mass meeting to-night; J. W. Fifer, J. N. Phillips, H. G. Reeves, and Mrs. Jaques and Mrs. Orego are to speak. Mass meetings at all the churches next Sunday night—laymen to preside and laymen to speak. We have sent for B. F. Jacobs, of Chicago, to speak Saturday night. The town is flooded with circulars and appeals; 'John Brown' choruses sung every night, and the town is getting in an uproar. The meeting last night was red-hot with enthusiasm." The ladies and gentlemen named above are the most prominent in Bloomington, standing at the head of social, professional and business interests in that city.

Religious Notice.—Rev. Dr. G. Johnson, of St. Louis, will fill the pulpit at the Baptist Church to morrow, both morning and evening. Rev. J. C. Bonham will preach to-morrow in the Michigan Avenue Baptist Church, Chicago, leaving to day at noon for that destination.

Sunday School Temperance Meeting.—The Sunday School of Stapp's Chapel M. E. Church will hold a Children's Temperance meeting to-morrow evening, in the upper room, in lieu of the regular service. The Sunday School workers and children of other schools, are cordially invited to be present and take part.

Revision of City Ordinances.—The committee appointed by the council to revise the city ordinances, submitted at the last meeting copies of ordinances regulating city elections, providing for meetings of the council, defining the duties of Register, in relation to animals running at large, in relation to dogs running at large, also rules of order for the government of the city council. The committee asked for further time to prepare others.

Ready-made Clothing of all kinds, new spring suits, men's furnishing goods &c., just received at Race's.
March 14-dtf.

Extension of Water Pipes.—There is a movement on foot for the extension of water pipes on West Main street, from Edward to College, thence south to Macon street, thence east to South Union street. A petition for such extension is now in the hands of the committee on public improvements and the Superintendent of the water works, with instructions to report their views of the measure to the council. The signers of the petition pledge themselves to become consumers of water if the request is granted.

The Crusade.—We call attention to an account of the temperance crusade in Bloomington, which appears in another column. The city election takes place on Monday, and a square fight is to be made on the license question. The antis are hopeful, the license men are confident. It will probably be the most exciting city election held in Bloomington for years.

Awnings put up.—Richard Ashby is prepared to respond promptly to all orders for putting up awnings. Specimens of his work may be seen at Goldburg's trading palace. Persons wishing work in his line will do well to compare this job with others in the same neighborhood.—Upholstered work of every description renovated, under Sage & Son's hardware store. a18-d3t*

Changed Hands.—Mr. Samis, from Iroquois county, has bought out the confectionery and bakery of Mr. Jos M. Dawson, on Merchant street, and has already taken possession of the establishment.

"Babylon is Fallen."—The Rev. Mr. McElroy, of the 1st Methodist Church, will deliver a discourse on the subject of Belshazzar's Feast and the downfall of Babylon, on which the Oratorio of the Great Court of Babylon is founded, next Sunday evening.

The Ladies' Temperance Reform will furnish the theme for discussion at Stapp's Chapel to-morrow morning. Friends and foes of the movement are invited.

Spring Millinery at Miss Anne Miller's, No. 20 Merchant street.
April 18 dtaw-tf.

Fifty seats are already sold for Mrs. Oates. By Monday they will all be sold.

Mrs. F. L. Hackman will give her Annual Spring and Summer Millinery Opening, *Tuesday, April 21st, 1874.*—Opening hour, 10 A. M. FIRST-CLASS TRADE A SPECIALTY.
No cards. 7dtd

Catholic Prayer Books, in great variety, at the Post Office Book Store.

NOTICE.

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THE MUTUAL LIFE.

DECATUR, ILL., April 7, 1874.

Received of Mutual Life Insurance Company, N. Y., by the hands of Wood & Montgomery, agents, Five Thousand One Hundred and Forty-Six and 6-100 Dollars, being full claim of policy of insurance for $5,000, issued by said Company on the life of my husband, Adam Imboden, deceased. LEAH IMBODEN.

No. 129,041.—Adam Imboden, Decatur, Illinois. Insured March 2, 1872. Amount, $5000. Annual premium, $197.00. Age at time of insuring, 46. This policy became a claim January 11, 1874. Will be payable April 7, 1874, as follows:

Original Policy	$5,000 00
Dividend Additions	109 49
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Total	$5,146 06

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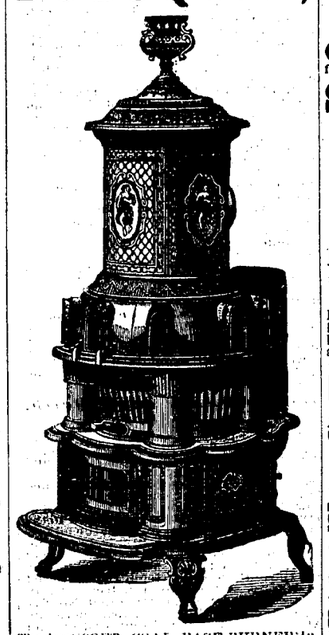
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OFFICE OF THE INDIANA & ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, No. 30, NASSAU ST., NEW YORK, April 10, '74.

☞ The annual meeting for the election of Directors of the Indiana & Illinois Central Railway Company, and for such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the Company, in the city of Indianapolis, on

Wednesday, the 6th Day of May

next. The polls will be opened at ten o'clock on that day and will continue open one hour. R. D. BUSH,
April 13-d3tewtd Secretary.

SMITH & CLOKEY, Attorneys.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }

Circuit Court of Macon county, May term, A. D. 1874.

Nancy E. Cross, John Cross, Mary E. Golden, and John M. Golden, ex. George W. Rodgers, James M. Rodgers, Francis M. Rodgers, Martha J. Rodgers, and Clara Rodgers.

Affidavit of the non-residence of Clara Rodgers, a defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Circuit of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Clara Rodgers, that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the Second Monday of May next (1874), as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Clara Rodgers, shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the

2d Monday of May, A. D. 1874,

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
SMITH & CLOKEY, Sol's for Compl'ts.
March 13, 1874-d4w.

NOTICE.

The undersigned hereby gives notice that on the 3d day of March, 1874, he was, by the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois, at Decatur, appointed Assignee of John W. Burton, of the county of Macon, State of Illinois, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition by the District Court of said District.

REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
March 16, 1874-d3w] Assignee.

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Administrators' Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undersigned, Administrators of the Estate of Adam Kelley, Deceased, late of Macon county, Illinois, will attend before the County Court of said county, in the city of Decatur, on Monday, the 20th day of April, A. D. 1874, for the purpose of settling and adjusting all claims against the Estate of said deceased, when and where all persons having claims against said deceased are requested to present the same for adjustment. All those indebted are requested to make immediate payment.

MARY A. KELLEY,
FORIS SANDERS,
Administrators.

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LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.—Merchant street, over Miss Miller's millinery store, 2nd floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $3. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Thatcher, Secretary; Mrs. A. T. Hill, Treasurer.

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Dec. 5, 1873—d.

TRUSTEES' SALE.

WHEREAS J Byron Leathers and Melissa Leathers, his wife, of the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, did on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1872, by their certain Deed of Trust, convey to the undersigned as Trustees, certain real estate hereinafter described; situated in the county of Shelby in said State;

Which said Deed of Trust is recorded in the Recorder's office of said Shelby county, in book 8 of mortgages page 191, and was made to secure the payment of one promissory note, bearing even date with said Deed of Trust, for the sum of Four Thousand Dollars, executed by the said J. Byron Leathers, payable to the order of Asahel P. Griswold five years after the date thereof, with interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from date until paid, the first payment of interest to be made on the 1st day of May, A. D. 1872, for the period ending on that day, and thereafter the interest to be paid semi-annually on the first days of November and May in each year until the last payment of interest, which was to be made on the day of maturity of said note, according to interest coupons annexed to said note;

And Whereas, By the terms of said Deed of Trust, it is provided that if the said J. Byron Leathers, his executors or administrators, shall fail to pay or cause to be paid, to the said Asahel P. Griswold, or the legal holder or holders of said note, any of the principal sum payable thereby or any installment of interest thereon, as the said principal and interest and each and every of them shall become due and payable by the tenor and effect of said note and interest coupons respectively, then, and in such case, the said promissory note with the interest accrued thereon, shall thereupon, each and every of them, in respect to, and for the purposes of the trust thereby created, become and be all of them presently due and payable, without the necessity of any demand of payment, and on application of the legal holder of said promissory note the undersigned trustees may thereupon at once proceed to sell the property therein described, entire, without sub-division, or in parcels, at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, first giving public notice of the time, and place, and terms of said sale, and of the property to be sold, by an advertisement thereof, in some public newspaper published in the city of Decatur, thirty days prior to the day of sale, and to make, acknowledge and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers of said premises, deed or deeds of conveyance therefor in fee simple;

And whereas, default having been made in the payment of interest upon said promissory note, due and payable on the 1st day of November, A. D. 1873, whereby the terms of the said Deed of Trust, the said promissory note with the interest accrued thereon, become, and was for the purpose of the trust created, presently due and payable; and the legal holders of said note having made application to the undersigned Trustees, and requested the advertisement and sale of said premises, under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in said Deed of Trust, public notice is, therefore, hereby given that on

Tuesday, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1874,

at ten (10) o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, county of Macon and State of Illinois—being the west door of the present Court House—we, the undersigned Trustees, shall, under and by virtue of the powers conferred upon us by said Deed of Trust, offer for sale, at public auction to the highest and best bidder for cash, the following described real estate, situate, lying and being in the county of Shelby and State of Illinois, to-wit: The southwest quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section No. nineteen (19), in township No. ten (10), north, range No. five (5), east of the third principal meridian. Also the east half of the southeast quarter of section No. five (5), in township No. nine (9), north, range No. five (5), east of the third principal meridian, containing in all two hundred and eighty-five (285) acres; and all homestead rights, and all right, title, benefit and equity of redemption of the said J. Byron Leathers and Melissa Leathers therein, to pay said note and interest thereon, and the costs and expenses of said sale, as by the said Deed of Trust is provided.

Decatur, Illinois, February 21, 1874.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWS,
Feb 23-d30d Trustees.

The above sale is adjourned to TUESDAY, APRIL 11, 1874, at 10 o'clock a. m.
JASPER J. PEDDECORD,
LOWBER BURROWS,
mch31-td] Trustees.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }

In the Circuit Court to the May term, A. D 1874.

John G. Jemmison vs. Charles Birmingham, David Bennett, and James Millikin and Jerome R. Gorin, partners as J. Millikin & Co.—*Chancery*.

Public notice is hereby given to the above named defendant, Charles Birmingham, that the above named complainant, John G. Jemmison, has heretofore filed his certain bill of complaint against the said defendants in said court, on the chancery side thereof; that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, on the first Monday of December, A. D, 1873, as by law required; that at said December term of said court said cause was continued by operation of law, and is now pending. That affidavit of the non-residence of the said Charles Birmingham having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, an alias summons has been issued out of said court against the said Charles Birmingham and David Bennett, returnable on the first day of the next term of said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county and state, commencing on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1874.

Now unless you, the said Charles Birmingham shall personally be and appear before said Circuit Court of Macon county, at the court house in the city aforesaid, on the said

2d Monday of May, A. D. 1874,

And plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed by you and a decree rendered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
CREA & EWING, Sols. for Compl't.
March 30, 1874-d4w.

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March 17 1870-y

UNITED STATES MAIL.

ILLINOIS.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT, }
WASHINGTON, March 31, 1874. }

PROPOSALS will be received at the Contract Office of this Department until 3 o'clock p. m. of May 30th, 1874, (to be decided by the 10th June,) for carrying the mails of the United States from July 1st, 1874, to June 30th, 1875, on the following routes in the State of Illinois, and by the schedule of departures and arrivals herein specified, viz:

23113 From Danby to Roselle, 9½ miles and back, six times a week, on schedule satisfactory to the Department, to be proposed by bidders.

23118 From Naperville, by Warrensville, to Winfield, 7 3-5 miles and back, twelve times a week between Warrensville and Winfield, six times a week the residue.
Bidders will propose schedule to be satisfactory to the Department.

23120 From Elgin, by Udina, Pingree Grove, Hampshire, Lenox, North Plato, and Plato Centre, to Elgin, 37 miles and back, six times a week.
Leave Elgin daily, except Sunday, at 6 a. m.
Arrive at Elgin by 7 p. m.

23122 From Kingston, by Lacey, North Kingston, and Genoa, to Kingston, equal to 17 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Kingston Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 1 p. m.;
Return to Kingston by 7 p. m.

23145 From White Rock, by Paine's Point, to Oregon, 11 miles and back, three times a week.
Bidders will propose schedule to be satisfactory to the Department.

23146 From Taylor, by Light House (n. o.) and Daysville, to Oregon, 8 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Taylor Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 11 a. m.;
Arrive at Oregon by 1 p. m.;
Leave Oregon Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 3 p. m.;
Arrive at Taylor by 5 p m

23156 From Plainfield, by Tamarack and Wheatland, to Aurora, 16 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Plainfield Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2 p. m.;
Arrive at Aurora by 7 p m;
Leave Aurora Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Plainfield by 1 p m.

23165 From Bureau Junction, by Hennepin, to Florid, 8¾ miles and back, twelve times a week between Bureau Junction and Hennepin, six times a week the residue, on schedule satisfactory to the Department.

23169 From Princeville, by Akron and West Halleck, to Southampton, 9 miles and back, six times a week.
Leave Princeville daily, except Sunday, at 12 m;
Arrive at Southampton by 1:30 p m;
Leave Southampton daily, except Sunday, at 2 p m;
Arrive at Princeville by 4 p m.

23198 From Oquawka to nearest station on the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, 5 miles and back, twelve times a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmaster at Oquawka.

23212 From White Oak to Virden, 11½ miles and back, once a week.
Leave White Oak Saturday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Virden by 6 p m;
Leave Virden Saturday at 7 a m;
Arrive at White Oak by 12 m.

23228 From Ellisville to Prairie City, 8 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Ellisville Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Prairie City by 9.45 a m;
Leave Prairie City Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10.15 a m;
Arrive at Ellisville by 12 m.

23229 From Monmouth, by Spring Grove, Norwood, Suez, Viola, Cole Dale, and Pre-emption, to Milan, 43 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Monmouth Tuesday and Saturday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Viola by 1 p m;
Leave Viola Tuesday and Friday at 11 a m,
Arrive at Milan by 7 p m;
Leave Milan Wednesday and Saturday at 9 a m;
Arrive at Viola by 2 p m;
Leave Viola Monday and Friday at 12 m;
Arrive at Monmouth by 7 p m.
Proposals invited for extra trip between Viola and Pre-emption.

23260 From Holland, by Mode and Big Spring, to Neoga, 24 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Holland Friday at 11 a m;
Arrive at Neoga by 6 p m;
Leave Neoga Saturday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Holland by 3 p m;
Proposals invited to end at Beecher City, 5 miles farther; also for twice-a-week service.

23261 From London City, by Saint Elmo, to Hickory Creek, 15 miles and back, twice a week, upon schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23264 From Bible Grove, by Hord, to Louisville, 13 miles and back, three times a week, upon schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points

23293 From Attila, by Corinth and Oak Hill, to Marion, 15½ miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Attila Wednesday and Saturday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Marion by 5 p m;
Leave Marion Wednesday and Saturday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Attila by 12 m.

23294 From Sarahsville to Marion, 9½ miles and back, once a week.
Leave Sarahsville Saturday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Marion by 4 p m;
Leave Marion Saturday at 9 a m;
Arrive at Sarahsville by 12 m.

23301 From Walpole to Rectorville, 6 miles and back, twice a week, on schedule to insure railroad connections at Rectorville.

23310 From Cairo, by Goose Island and Santa Fe, to Thebes, 27 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Cairo Saturday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Thebes by 6 p m;
Leave Thebes Friday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Cairo by 7 p m.

23316 From Lovilla to Delafield, 6 miles and back, twice a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23317 From Shawneetown, by Saline Mines, Sparks' Hill and Martha's Furnace (n. o.), to Elizabethtown, 24 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Shawneetown Tuesday and Saturday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Elizabethtown by 11 a m;
Leave Elizabethtown Tuesday and Saturday at 12 m;
Arrive at Shawneetown by 5 p m.

23325 From Farmington, by Middle Grove (n. o.), to Midway, 11½ miles and back, twice a week
Leave Farmington Tuesday and Friday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Midway by 5 p m;
Leave Midway Tuesday and Friday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Farmington by 12 m.

23329 From Yates City, by Spoon River, Eugene and French Grove (n. o.), to Elmore, 17 miles and back, six times a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23331 From Kingston Mines to Mapleton, 5 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Kingston Mines Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m;
Arrive at Mapleton by 1.30 p m;
Leave Mapleton Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 3 p m;
Arrive at Kingston Mines by 4 30 p m.

23333 From Astoria to Summum, 7 miles and back, three times a week on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23335 From Browning, by Sheldon's Grove, Bluff City, Marbletown, Otto, and Duncan's Mills, to Lewistown, 30 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Browning Tuesday and Friday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Lewistown by 6 p m;
Leave Lewistown Monday and Thursday at 7 a m,
Arrive at Browning by 6 p m;

23343 From Mount Carmel, by Friend Grove, to New Hope, 13 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Mount Carmel Wednesday and Saturday at 12 m;
Arrive at New Hope by 4 p m;
Leave New Hope Wednesday and Saturday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Mount Carmel by 11 a m

23349 From Omaha, by Cottonwood, to New Haven, 11 miles and back, three times a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23352 From Noble, by Wilsonburgh and Wakefield, to Ingraham, 17 miles and back, three times a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.
Proposals invited for six-times-a-week service.

23365 From Marshall, by Darien, to Melrose, 13 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Marshall Tuesday and Friday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Melrose by 12 m;
Leave Melrose Tuesday and Friday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Marshall by 6 p m.

23366 From Martinsville to Moonshine, 10½ miles and back, once a week.
Leave Martinsville Wednesday at 9 a m;
Arrive at Moonshine by 12 m;
Leave Moonshine same day at 2 p m;
Arrive at Martinsville by 5 p m.

23377 From New Douglas to Staunton, 9 miles and back, three times a week, upon a schedule satisfactory to postmaster at New Douglas.

23378 From Highland to Saint Morgan, 5½ miles and back, twice a week.
Connections to be made with railroad trains at Saint Morgan.

23379 From Highland to Grant Fork, 6½ miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Highland Wednesday and Saturday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Grant Fork by 3 p m;
Leave Grant Fork Wednesday and Saturday at 10 a m;
Arrive at Highland by 12 m.

23380 From Alhambra, by Hamel, to Worden, 9 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Alhambra Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Worden by 5 p m;
Leave Worden Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Alhambra by 12 m.

23394 From Jordan's Grove to Marissa. 6 miles and back, twice a week, making due connection with mail-trains at Marissa.

23395 From Mascoutah to Fayetteville, 8 miles and back, three times a week.
Leave Mascoutah Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 10 a m;
Arrive at Fayetteville by 12 m;
Leave Fayetteville Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Mascoutah by 9 a m.

23398 From Floraville, by Millstadt, to Belleville, 16 miles and back, twice a week to Millstadt, six times a week the residue.
Leave Floraville Wednesday and Saturday at 2 p m;
Arrive at Millstadt by 5 p m;
Leave Millstadt Wednesday and Saturday at 11.30 a m;
Arrive at Floraville by 1 p m;
Leave Millstadt daily, except Sunday, at 8 a m;
Arrive at Belleville by 10 a m;
Leave Belleville daily, except Sunday, at 2 p m;
Arrive at Millstadt by 4 p m.

23400 From Westfield to Ashmore, 6 miles and back, six times a week, by a schedule of arrivals and departures so as to insure railroad connections at Ashmore.

23401 From Zanesville to Litchfield, 12½ miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Zanesville Wednesday and Saturday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Litchfield by 12 m;
Leave Litchfield Wednesday and Saturday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Zanesville by 4 p m.

23406 From Ridge Farm to Long, 5½ miles and back, twice a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23411 From Griggsville to Perry, 6 miles and back, six times a week, on schedule to insure railroad connections at Griggsville.

23418 From Pearl Station, by Bee Creek, to Kampsville, 12 miles and back, twice a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23121 From Peyton's to Clayton, 8 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Peyton's Saturday at 9 a m;
Arrive at Clayton by 12 m;
Leave Clayton Saturday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Peyton's by 4 p m.

23424 From Carthage, by Middle Creek, Joetta, and Webster, to Fountain Green, 25 miles and back, twice a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

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23438 From West Jersey to Toulon, 8 miles and back, three times a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23439 From Granville to Peru, 8 miles and back, six times a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23440 From Montrose, (Iowa) by Nauvoo, to Adrian, 17 miles and back, once a week, on schedule satisfactory to postmasters at terminal points.

23441 From Wellington, by Ash Grove, to Buckley, 20 miles and back, once a week, on schedule satisfactory to the department.

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